YONKERS.

severe rainstorm visited this city yesterday. Between 8 and 9 o'clock in the forenoon the clouds became heavy and it got so dark that it was necessary to light the gas in many of the homes in order For over an hour the rain fell in torrents, and the streets looked like little rivers. Considerible damage was caused, the most serious being the iving away of about fifty feet of the retaining wall on the Underhill property at the end of Overlook Ferrace. This street runs from Locust Hill-ave. west and terminates at a bluff about one hundred nd fifty feet east or Dock-st. Babcock Place was badly washed. The water from Wood and Irving places came down in such volume that the receiving Warburton-ave, could not take it, so it red into Babcock Place and then into Wood-th-ave. The cobblestones in the gutter were shed away in several places for a space of ten

worth-ave. The cobblestones in the guiter washed away in several places for a space of ten feet or more, and holes nearly two feet deep were left. The electric cars were delayd an hour at Yonkers-ave, and Oak-st, by dirt washed on the rails. Just as soon as the storm abated the foreman of the Street Department got his men together, and from Police Headquarters received a list of dangerous places and began immediately the work of epair. Where the work could not be completed danger signals were placed at sunset.

The funeral of William Frederick Lawrence, who afternoon at St. John's Episcopal Church at 3 o'clock, afternoon at St. John's Episcopal Church at 3 o'clock, the Rev. Dr. A. B. Carver, rector of the church, officialing. Aithough the weather was threatening, the attendance was large, many city officials being among the congregation. Mr. Lawrence was born in Yonkers fifty-seven years ago, and had always made it his home. A large delegation from Yonkers made it his home. A large delegation from Yonkers made it his home. A large delegation from Yonkers made it his home. A large delegation from Yonkers was piezent. The pallbearers were Joseph A. Lockwood, superintendent of the Yonkers Water Works, Police Commander of the Yonkers Water Works, Police Commissioner Henry R. Hicks, ex-Mayor Norton P. Otis, P. J. Elling, H. C. Donnelly and Walter Paddock. Burial was in St. John's Cemetry.

The second week of the free summer kindergarten.

Valter Paddock. Burnar was recry.

The second week of the free summer kindergarten chool, conducted by the School Visiting Committee f the Civic League, begins this morning. Through the courtesy of the Board of Education the sessions re held in a room of School No. 10, at Clinton and Prospects sis., from § 11, 11 clock in the forenoon, in parts of the city there are children whose only alayground seems to be the streets. It is for these hildren mainly that the school is started. The ommittee hopes seen to start another school in the

ed the guests at the weekly tea given on Sat-at the clubbouse of the Park Hill Country and Miss Ketcham and Miss Fitch were the ses at the tea of the Amaskassen Club, in the de-ave, extension. Both social affairs were stended.

v. James T. Bixby, of the First Unitarian preached the last sermon vesterday before a summer vacation. The church will be reasonable. September 12. The Rev. T. Balsh, who is supplying the pulpit of the First rian Church in the absence of the Rev. rge F. Peniecost, conducted the afternoon at the pariors of the Young Men's Christian

PEEKSKILL.

The Peckskill hat factory is shut down for a brief period while inventory taken. Orders are plenty and the big concern excts to start up again in a few days with a full

cers: President, Charles Clinton; vice-president, Frank Allen; secretary and treasurer, Albert

Landy.
Supervisor Franklin Couch will go to White Plains to-day to attend a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors.
Former Village Treasurer Henry H. Lane and his family are at Oscawanna Lake for the summer. Dr. Jennie G. Swain, of Smith-st., is at the Delaware Water Gap.
Charles Van Scoy and his family are camping at Lake Mohegan for the summer.
The funeral of Mrs. George F. Canfield will be held at noon to-day. Mrs. Canfield, who died last Thursday, after a long lilness, was born near Cincinnati in 1854. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Kittredre. She came with her parents to Peckskill in 1855, and since that time, except the winters, which were spent in New-York, each has lived on the Kittredge homestead, adjoining Henry Ward Beecher's old place. Boscobel. She is survived by her husband, one ten-year-old son, two brothers, a sister and her mother. Her husband is a prominent New-York lawyer and a professor in the Columbia Law School. She was connected with Grace Church, in New-York, and had been a pewholder there for many years. She was a woman of exceptional intellectual attainments, and a graduate of Harvard College Annex, being one of the members of the first femile graduating class of that institution. She was largely interested in female educational work, and was instrumental in founding Barnard College and the annex to Johns Hopkins University, and until her was extremely charitable. Her wealth gave her opportunity to give and do much but it was done in an unostentatious way, and few knew of her extensive benefactions. ding the summer at Atlantic City.

PORT CHESTER AND RYE.

Among the most important outings which have been arranged are the piente of the Church of Our Lady of Merry, to Fox Island, to-morrow, the excursion of the Summerfield Methodist Episcopal Sunday-school on Tuesday, July 27, to Roton Point; the afternoon and evening picnic of Court Poningoe, F. of A., to Fox Island, on Wednesday, July 28, the piente of St. Marry's Literary and Benevo-lent Association, to Fox Island, on Wednesday, August 4, the moonlight excursion of the Unity August 4; the moonlight excursion of St. Peter's Sunday-school to Estou's Neek, on Wednesday, August 25, and the piente and celebration under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias, at Fox Island, on Labor Day, The usual dinner and outing to the poor children of Port Chester is also being arranged for, and will probably be held in August.

The Georgia Quartet will give an entertainment in the Summerfield Methodist Episconal Church at 8 o'elock to-night. The affair is in aid of the Fort Valley High Industrial School, in Central Georgia,

A lawn fair and dog show, under the manage ment of the children of Mamaroneck will be feld on the grounds surrounding Closet Hall on next Wednesday afternoon and evening. The receipts the most popular dog by a vote of the guests. Closet Hall is a Revolutionary landmark, and was the early home of J. Fenimore Cooper. It is now owned by William S. Johnson, whose home is ad-

owned by William S. Johnson, wheelesses of the Weaver Street Mission and Sabbath-school has elected the following officers: Bradford Rhodes, president; Charles Brooks, associate; B. Frank Palmer, treasurer; Mrs. B. F. Palmer and Mrs. E. Palmer, superintendents, and Ezra Higher and William Hinds, librarians.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will give a lawn party to-morrow afternoon at the hone of Mrs. E. P. Delanoy.

MOUNT VERNON.

The cyclists in this city are looking forward to the reforms promised by the new Commissioner of Public Works, Harry McTague. Mr. McTague is an enthusiastic wheelman and a member of the L. A. W. He has given the wheelmen the assurance that he repair as soon as possible a large number of streets which are not now in good condition for travel.

The singing societies of Westchester County will

hold their seventh annual festival in Bronx River Park on the afternoon and evening of August 9. A street parade will be held in the morning, with Coroner A. T. Banning as marshal and A. Foerste-

Coroner A. T. Banning as marshal and A. Foerstemann and Frederick Johnston alds. Fifty-two singing societies are expected to take part.

The new Taxpayers' Association recently formed
consists of nearly all the well-known business men
of this city. The objects of the association are to
prevent extravagance in municipal affairs, to look
after the interests of the city and county at Albany and to promote public improvements. The
association will meet on the first Friday of each
month in the parlors of the Young Men's Christian
Association Building.

The Centennial African Methodist Episcopal Zion
congregation of this city is preparing to build a
church in Third-st., between Seventh and Eighth
aves.

aves. The Rev. W. A. Granger, pastor of the First Baptist Church, with his tamily, is on his vacation in the mountains. The pulpit was occupied yesterday by the Rev. M. A. Wilcox, of Holyoke, Mass., and next Sunday the Rev. A. E. Kingsley, of Bangor,

mext Summay the Rev. A. D. Kansay, of Banker, Me., will preach.
A party of six little girls will give a fair on Yednesday afternoon at No. 2 Clermont-ave., Chester Hill. in aid of the Fresh Air Fund. The affair will be known as a flag lawn fete, with dainty costumes and decorations of Stars and Stripes.
The fair in aid of the Little Mothers recently given by Florence McKnight, Hazel Lynn, Esther Shaw and others was a success. Nearly \$50 was received.

Shaw and others was a success. Nearly \$20 was received.

The Rev. Arthur L. Gillett, professor of apologeties at the Hartford Theological Seminary, preached in the First Presbyterian Church, Mount Vernon, yesterday, in place of the Rev. Charles S. Lane, who is absent in Detroit.

John Adams, sixty years old, and Charles Broesh, sixty-one years old, who make a living by selling herbs, which they raise, to druggists and saloons, and who live together on the old Muller place, at Fleetwood, two miles from this city, quarrelled yesterday over money matters, and had a fight with pitchforks and carving-knives. Broesh had the first finger of his right hand almost cut off, and one of Adams's hands was nearly cut off. Both had their wounds dressed at the hospital, where Adams remains. Broesh was arrested. The old men have lived together for

harbor are J. Pierpont Morgan's steam yacht Cor-sair and the schooner yacht Intrepld, chartered by C. Oliver Iselin for his cruise with the New-York Yacht Club. The Defender is still anchored in Nep-tune Bay, and will not be placed in commission this

tune Bay, and will not be placed in commission this season.

Chief Engineer James Ross, of the Fire Department, has issued a warning to wheelmen to dismount at the sound of the fire alarm if riding on the principal streets. A number of persons have had narrow escapes from collision with the engines and apparatus, as it has become customary with them to mount their wheels at the first tap of the bell and proceed to the fire at top speed.

Arrangements are being made to build a breakwater at the entrance of Echo Bay. The improvement is a much-needed convenience to the numerous yachts which seek shelter in the bay at the approach of storms.

The Larchmont Fire Company has elected Frank Hardy foreman, Mayhew Bronson assistant foreman and Marmaduke Tilden secretary and treasurer.

The Village Trustees, acting upon suggestions made by the Fire Commissioners at their last meeting, have authorized the purchase of a chemical engine and horses. The Commissioners have also power to erect a number of new alarm-boxes and a steam whistle or other apparatus, to make the

NORTH TARRYTOWN.

The newly elected officers of the Kreidler Outing Club are John Melin, president: George Webber, Club are John Melin, president: George Webber, vice-president: Morris Muinch, recording secretary: Charles Daworth, financial secretary, and Jacob Kreidler, treasurer. The club will hold its fourth annual outing at South Nyack on July 27.

The Rev. Nettle Esterbrooks, a returned missionary from the West Indies, occupied the pulpit of the First Methodist Protestant Church yesterday in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. R. T. Tyson, who is enjoying his vacation in Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Scott McComb and Mr. and Mrs. Morton S. Paton sailed for Europe last week. Star of Hope Lodge, I. O. G. T., last week de-cided to discontinue its meetings until September 12. cided to discontinue its meetings until September 13.

Dr. W. Judson and his son and daughter are making a bicycle tour of Schoharte County.

Thomas Dawson, of Pueblo. Col., is the guest of his sister. Mrs. William Hamill, of Main-st.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rauch have gone to their lodge at St. Regis Lake, in the Adirondacks.

George R. Manchester, secretary of the Republican County Committee of New-York, and Mrs.

Manchester are now living here.

The new addition to the Knollwood Country Club is now practically completed and will be opened in about a week. The addition is on the east side of the house. The clubhouse will now furnish ample accommodations for its members. It has not been decided as yet when the new house will be formally opened.

On Thursday evening the members of Court Fremont No. 258, F. of A., will celebrate their fourth anniversary with an entertainment in the Irving

The Rev. W. H. Taylor, pastor of the Shiloh Baptist Church, is entertaining a number of clergy-men, including the Rev. S. D. S. Scott, Atlanta, Ga.; the Rev. George Boswell and the Rev. J. S. Jefferson, of Yorktown, Va., and the Rev. G. W. Bailey, of New-York City. The Rev. Dr. Scott preached in the Shiloh Baptist Church last even-

Work is being rapidly pushed on three hew Work is being rapidly pushed of the law buildings—the village hai, the Washington Irving High School and the Westchester County Savings Bank—which are being erected here, giving employment to several hundred men. All the buildings will be completed early in the fall.

Solomon Lodge No. 196, F. and A. M., has decided to hold its annual excursion to Coney Island and Rockaway on August II.

Mr. and Mrs. John Downey and their family left Tarrytown in a special car on Saturday for Bar Harbor, where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

PELHAM MANOR.

G. H. Kerr has recently been appointed postmaster of Pelham Manor, succeeding E. C. Roosevelt, ter of Pelham Manor, succeeding E. C. Roosever, who has served for four years. He will take possession in August. An effort is being made to retain the present postmistress in Pelham.

A large force of men is now engaged in the construction of the Pelham Parkway. The roadway has been laid out and graded from the Bronx River to Pelham Road, and when finished will form a fine cycle route from New-Rochelle and Mount Vernon to City Island and Westchester

COMPLAINS OF A RELAY STATION.

from the relay station of the Metropolitan Street

charge of the station, arrested.

Mr. White says that the noises and smells are such a musance that they lessen the value of his property. He wrote to the company on the subject, and received a reply that the smells could not be helped, but that if he was annoyed by any unnecessary noises he had only to report the bolschouse driver and the man would be promptly discharged. Mr. White was unwilling to do this, and he took no action until last night. Then the clanging of the whiffletrees as the horses on the cars were changed was too noisy, and he went out to see about it. He tried to get Bohen to do something to lessen the noise, but the man said he could do nothing, so Mr. White had him arrested. The man was taken to the Charles-st, station, and will be arraigned in the lefferson Market Police Court this morning. The police reported the case to the Board of Health.

VAINLY CHARGED WITH EXTORTION.

A CITY SERVANT DISCHARGED IN THE POLICE COURT AFTER THE COMPLAIN-

Frank Derato, an Italian fruit pedier living at No. 331 Bleecker-st., complained in the Jefferson Market Police Court yesterday that John W. Chester, of No. 147 West Houston-st., a clerk in the office of the Board of Aldermen, had tried to extort money from aim. The pedier asserted that Chester approached him on Friday last and offered to pracure for him a pedier's license for £! Derato told a friend, and on the friend's advice had Chester arrested. Magistrate Pool, after learning the man's statement and Chester's dernial that an extortion had been meditated, at once discharged him. Alderman Windolph, vice-president of the Board, sat on the bench with the Magistrate while the case was being heard. Police Court yesterday that John W. Chester, of

A DISCUSSION OVER POWDERLY.

THE CENTRAL LABOR UNION DEBATES HIS RE-CENT APPOINTMENT.

Labor Union changed yesterday from an assembly of labor leaders to a lot of political wranglers. It all came about through a resolution offered by Sam Prince denouncing the appointment of T. V. Powderly, formerly Master Workman of the Knights of Labor, as Commissioner-General of Immigration. The whole of the opposition of some of the Knights of Labor to Powderly appears to be based on the fact that he worked and voted for Mc-Kinley in the last Presidential election, whereas previous to that time he was a Democrat, it is alleged. Powderly had a number of friends among the Knights who are delegates to the Central Labor Union, and they talked and voted against the passage of Prince's resolution. The other delegates rather enjoyed the discussion, and the resolution was not passed until everybody had become tired of the whole subject and didn't give a rap what became of it.

The resolution was as follows: Resolved, That the appointment of T. V. Pow-derly as Commissioner-General of Immigration is the greatest official insult ever officed by the Fed-eral Government to organized labor.

It is needless to remark that Mr. Prince, who offered the resolution, as well as those who sup-

A delegate named Farrell declared that the Immigration Bureau was established for the benefit of labor, and that it was outrageous that Powderly

migration Bureau was established for the benefit of labor, and that it was outrageous that Powderly should have been appointed Commissioner.

James McGill, of the Pla'n and Ornamental Plasterers' Union, said:

"The whole thing is only politics. Powderly came out for McKinley and made speeches for him in his campaign, and do you think that McKinley would go back on him now? He got votes for McKinley, and the latter would be an ingrate if he deserted him. I give Powderly credit for coming out flat-footed for the Republican platform. He was no 'trimmer.' I didn't do anything to help elect McKinley; I voted for Bryan, If Bryan had been elected we would have expected him to give appointments to his friends. I think this whole thing is ridiculous, and I shall vote against the resolution."

Mr. Johnston, delegate of the Shipwrights and Marine Engineers' Society, protested against the passage of the resolution. "This is the Central Labor Union of New-York," he continued; 'mot a political organization. This is a political question, and I move for a point of order. It is a personal fight of the Knights of Labor, and I don't think it should be brought up here. Powderly was a good president of the Knights of Labor, and he may be in the place again."

"Never! Never!" shouted Jerome O'Neil, of the Paperhangers' Union, and the other delegates laughed.

D. F. Saum, of the Carpenters' Union, said:
"Do you forget that the majority of the neople voted for McKinley? (Applause.) I always thought

many years, and this is said to be their first quarrel.

NEW-ROCHELLE.

Among the large yachts now in the New-Rochelle harbor are J. Pierpont Morgan's steam yacht Corsair and the schooper yacht Introdd chartered by meeting.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS. ASTOR-Samuel K. Behrend, of Washington; Dr. M. Bleckrode, of The Hague, Holland; T. Du-riend, of Montreal, and H. M. Hinds, of Boston. BUCKINGHAM-Charles L. Lovering, of ton, Mass. FIFTH AVENUE-General A. Alger, Secretary of War, of Washington, and Lloyd B. Fitzhugh, of Texas. HOFFMAN-L. M. Fitch, of Washington, and E. E. Gardner, of How-R. I. HOLLAND-Ex-Judge Thoman, of Chi-MANHATTAN-C. C. Glover, of Washing-and J. S. Lockwood, of San Antonio, Tex-MURRAY HILL-J. M. Hunter, of Yokohama, and Baron von Thielmann, German Ambassador at Washington, NETHERLAND-W. H. Griebei, of Hartford, and G. H. Jones, of Burlington, Vt. WALDORF-James Keenan, of Johannesburg, South Africa, and T. H. Walrond, of London.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY.

Excursion of Garfield Republican Club to Oriental Grove.

Brighton Beach races, 2:30 p. m.

Republican Club, No. 459 Fifth-ave., 8 p. m Music in Washington and Corlears Hock parks,

NEW-YORK CITY.

Dr. Lucius M. S. Haynes, associate pastor of the Judson Memorial Baptist Church, has just returned from a long tour, and yesterday, for the first time this summer, occupied the pulpit in the absence of the pastor, Dr. Judson.

The new steamship Princess Anne, of the Old Dominion Line, arrived here yesterday from Chester, Penn., and will be placed on the route between New-York and Norfolk, Va., on Thursday, July 29

Four firms locked out the children's jacketmakers employed in their shops yesterday, and it was expected that more would do so to-day. About two hundred and fifty hands are locked out. There are about four thousand children's jacketmakers and they accuse the contractors of trying to break the agreement which they recently signed, and which was to have run for a year.

ANOTHER WEEK OF EFFORT.

THE MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION VIGOROUSLY EXTENDING ITS OPERATIONS.

Merchants' Association will begin the week by sending out to-day 16,000 copies of the following circular, which speaks for itself:

the work it is doing have been made known to all. Its success means prosperity to every individual in this city, the merchants, the bankers, the real estate owners, the hotels, the theatres, the manufacturers, the employes. Its purpose is to fosier the trade and commerce of the city of New-York, and to maintain its supremacy as the great market of this continent, if not of the world. It is showing that organization means success.

More local members are desired. There are no obligations aside from the annual dues of \$25, the funds arising from which are used exclusively for the advertising of New-York, keeping it and its attractive features before the country at large at all times. Every patriotic citizen should lend the organization his earnest support.

Inclosed pleuse find a membership application blank. Yours very truly,

has already been referred to in the papers frequently, the desire of the Merchants' Association to have on its rolls without delay every business man in the city of New-York. The reasons for this have already been given many times, and ic any one who understands what the association is trying to do are obvious enough. By co-operation among the business men of this city in the Merchants' Association infinitely more can be accomplished toward expanding the commerce of New-York, both domestic and foreign, than though the different branches of trade worked by themselves, each man in each branch pulling for himself. It is desired to make New-York grow in every direction, even more rapidly than it has grown in the past.

The association now numbers among its members some of the mogt promisent men in this city. The

BELMONT ON THE SILVER QUESTION.

senger on the steamer New-York, which reached this port Saturday, talked to a Tribune reporter afternoon about international bimetallism,

toward international bimetallism," Mr. Belmont said, "there are advocates of it in France, Eng-

said, 'there are advocates of it in France, England and Germany, as there were a year ago, but the advocacy has not increased in volume or intensity. Other topics have occupied Europe. Neither France nor Germany will unite with us unless England leads the way. The continued increase in gold production, the surplus last year and this year of British income over expenditure, the continued supremacy of England in commerce and of London as an international money market, have the effect of persuading Parliament that the present coinage, currency and financial system is good, even though there is distress in India.

"The McKinley Administration is actively endeavoring, as the Republican platform of 185 requires, to promote the free colinge of silver by international agreement. Its Ambassadors and special commissions are working in concert, under the law enacted by the last Congress, which Cleveland approved. The question of the ratio to be adopted is kept in abeyance. There is at present every prospect of an international conference to be held within a short time. If the effort to establish an international ratio could be successful on all points, which seems to me almost chimerical, the silver question would be taken out of our positics. If, on the other hand, there shall be irremediable failure all along the line, then the silver question must in our public affairs inevitably take a new aspect.

"European bimetallists believe that if, in the failure of international bimetallism, we shall open our mints to silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, and subsequently Europe opens hers at the ratio of 154, to 1, then all our gold will leave us, as it did after 1834, and that only token silver coins would remain. We must not delude ourselves with the idea that that would mean an international agreement to establish bimetallism. The French Government has agreed to co-operate with our own for the holding of a conference. What France wants is not international bimetallism, but the French will require from us, in return for her co-ope

n, was arraigned in the Centre Street Police yesterday, charged with having been drunk

"Now, Judge," said the woman before the police-

"Now, Judge," said the woman before the policeman who arrested her had a chance to speak, "the officer had no reason to arrest me this time. I ain't one to object to arrest when there is a real cause, but this time I was only waiting for a Sixthaye, car, and I was not making enough trouble to make him arrest me,"

"Madam, I fear that you were intoxicated. Now, were you not?" asked Magistrate Wentworth.

"I had had a little something to drink, sir," replied the prisoner in a burst of confidence, "but I want to go home now. And, Judge, if you will let me go I'll give you one of the pups."

"No, thank you," said the Magistrate positively. Mrs. Harrison tried another tack. "Well, Judge, I am a good woman anyway, and you ought to let me go, "she said. "I am a Christian member of St. Peter's Catholic Church, and my little baby girl, God rest her soul, was christened in St. Ann's Church."

The woman promised to go directly home, and she

Church."

The woman promised to go directly home, and she was let off with a fine of \$1, which she paid. As she went out of the courtroom she shouled out, "Thank God and thank you, too, Judge."

Antonio Agnio, twenty-five years old, a dealer n bones, which he picks up wherever he can,

the bullets struck Charles McMahon, fourteen years old, of No. 698 West Forty-seventh-st., in the left leg. The boy had the bullet extracted at Roosevelt Hospital. The Italian was arrested, and in Yorkville Folice Court yesterday was held in \$1,500 ball for trial.



town tailor come to us for all their clothing

able to buy clothing at cost, to think

Just as good shoes, hats and fur-

Prince and Broadway. Warren and Broadway. Thirty-second and Broadway.

SIGNS THAT BROOKLYN MAY OBJECT TO

The question of consolidating the Greater New-York postoffices was more or less discussed by the last week, but no definite conclusions were reach Postoffice as of great importance was thrown out by Assistant Postmaster-General Heath, namely, that the entire district should be made a part of th New-York office, and a special appropriation made for it. Assistant Postmaster Morgan is of the opinion that nothing luckier could happen to the

At present there is one general postal appropriation, and the money for all the offices in the country is parcelled out at Washington. It has been proposed at various times that the big offices should be put in a class by themselves, and an appropriation made for them apart from the general one, and that idea has met favor. Still better, in the judgment of postal officials here, would be a special appropriation for New-York and its immediate vicinity. If such an appropriation were made, the money would be under the control of the postmaster of this city, and would be used as he should think best for the good of the service.

It is evident from the expressions of some of the Brooklyn Congressmen that there is likely to be serious opposition to consolidating the Brooklyn Postoffice with the office in this city, and it is be-lieved that this question has had some bearing on the appointment of Postmaster Sullivan's successor. Naturally, a man would not care to accept an ap pointment as postmaster of Brooklyn unless there was some assurance that he would not in a few tendent, with a large reduction in his salary.

question of extending free delivery to all the outly ing districts in the city, that has not been consid-ered yet, and nothing can be done, anyway, with-out a large increase in our appropriation."

A LOOPHOLE FOR BICYCLE THIEVES.

MAGISTRATE POOL DISCHARGES A MAN WHO

Thomas B. Ritchie, twenty-two years old, of No. 63 West Thirty-sixth-st., was arraigned before Magistrate Pool, in the Jefferson Market Police Court, yesterday morning, charged by John J. Cary, a bicycle dealer, of No. 176 Eighth-ave., with hav-ing stolen a bicycle. Cary said the prisoner came into his place about eight days ago and hired the wheel for an hour. He failed to return with it, and seeing the prisoner bowling along Eighth-ave, on the wheel yesterday he (Cary) had him ar-

"Well. I don't know about this charge," said the Well, I don't know about this charge," said the Magistrate, "this man came into the possession of this wheel lawfully, and, in my opinion, it is not a case for the criminal courts, but should be taken to the civil courts."

The prisoner said that he had not intended to steal the bicycle, but had merely hired it for no specified time.

"That's usually the case," remarked the Magistrate, "and the complainant's only relief is to sue this man for the time he had the use of the wheel."

"At that rate," said Cary, "at 25 cents an hour,

ton Avenue Baptist Church last night from the text Psalms xviii, 30-"The word of the Lord is tried"-

Psalms xviii, 30—"The word of the Lord is tried"—
spoke in praise of the English language. Other
languages, he said, were beautiful, and time was
when the Latin tongue was universal in civilized
ranks. Then came the French language, which
was widely spoken in other countries than France,
but since then the English language had made great
strides throughout the world. Mankind, Dr. Camphell declared, was rapidly meeting into one brotherhood, and the time was coming when one language
would be universal among civilized nations. That
language, he predicted, would be English. CROWDS AT ST. JEAN BAPTISTE'S CHURCH.

At each of the seven services held yesterday in the Church of St. Jean Baptiste, in East Seventysixth-st., where Fathers Constantineau and Fallon, of the University of Ottawa, are conducting a of the University of Ottawa, are conducting a novena preceding the coming Feast of St. Anne, the attendance was so great as to overflow into the street. Masses were celebrated hourly from 8 to 11 o'clock. At each Father Constantineau preached a short sermon from different verses of the Gospol of St. Mark. At the vesper service in the evening Father Failon delivered a sermon on the first part of the Apostle's Creed. The services will be continued to-day.

STATEN ISLAND HAPPENINGS. A drowned man about forty years old was found

in the bay at Midland Beach yesterday morning The body was dressed in a black alpaca coat, striped trousers, white shirt with the letters "L. H." embroidered upon it, lace shoes and black stockings. In the cuffs were square pearl cuffshort time.

"A Midsummer Night's Dream" will soon be given on the lawns of the Pavillon Hotel, New-Brighton, by a cast of amateur and professional

have gone to Sullivan County for three weeks.

The engagement of C. Austen Whitehouse, of
New-Brighton, and Miss Josephine Woodruff, of



The two sons of a first-rate up-

They frankly confess they can pay us a profit and get better satisfaction than buying from their father at cost.

ROGERS, PEET & Co.

ONE POSTOFFICE OR MANY?

GIVING UP ITS INDIVIDUALITY IN THIS RESPECT.

months be reduced to the rank of a station superintendent, with a large reduction in his salary. While the people in the Postoffice Department are naturally in favor of consolidation, the fact is that Congress must act before anything can be done. The law which forbids the consolidation of postoffices at county seats stands directly in the path of a union of offices in the Greater New-York district, and unless Congress repeals or amends it no steps can be taken toward consolidation. Said an official of the New-York office yesterday:

"In my opinion, there is going to be sufficient opposition in Brooklyn to the uniting of their postoffice with ours to prevent the carrying out of a scheme of consolidation. So far as I am informed, there are a good many people over there who are strongly opposed to the consolidation of the cities. That has been decided on, however, and they can do nothing. They will do their best, though, I fancy, to preserve their autonomy as far as the postoffice is concerned. They do not want their postmaster made an assistant postmaster. Nor do they want to be known as New-York East, or New-York South, or New-York any thing else. This is what I am told, and I believe that the Gorman law, which was passed, of course, without the slightest reference to this case, will give them just the help they need.

"It is always easier to put a law on the stature-book than to take one off, and this one is already there. I shall not be at all surprised to see the Congressmen from Brooklyn unanimously opposed to the Greater New-York, and introduce it early in the regular session next December. As for the question of extending free delivery to all the outly-contributed in the city, that has not been considered to the city of the Greater New-York, and introduce it early in the regular session next December. As for the question of extending free delivery to all the outly-contributes in the city, that has not been considered.

HIRED A WHEEL AND DIDN'T RETURN IT.

this man for the time he had the use of the wheel."

"At that rate," said Cary, "at 25 cents an hour, he owes me about \$42.50 for the eight days."

"Well, whatever it is," replied the Magistrate, "you will have to begin legal proceedings against him in the civil court for the amount he owes you. He is discharged from custedy."

"Well I'll be hanged," commented Cary as he left the court, "that is the funniest decision I ever heard of. In that case every crook in town can go to a bleyele store and hire a wheel, and take the chance of never being caught. If he is, all a man can do is sue him for the time he had the machine out. Every dealer may as well go out of business."

IN PRAISE OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE. The Rev. Dr. J. L. Campbell, in the course of a

Brighton, by a cast of amateur and professional actors.

Florence Coleman, the young woman who fell from a cherry tree, breaking her back, at Castie-ton Cornors, is in the Smith Infirmary, being paralyzed from the hips down. An experiment will be made with X rays by Dr. William Bryan to see if the break can be knitted.

The summer reserts had a dreary day yesterday, with the rain and lack of visitors. At Midland Beach the usual concert was given, several hundred people attending.

County Judge Stephen D. Stephens and his family have gone to Sullivan County for three weeks.

The engagement of C. Austen Whitehouse, of

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TWO RESCUED BY A LIFE-SAVING CREW. The New-York Volunteer Life-Saving Crew, which has a station on the East River at Corlearsst., rescued two men from the river yesterday afternoon. They are John Murphy and Frank Noonan, alias Wolf. They refused to say where they lived. The two men hired a rowboat from James Moss, who has a boathouse in East Fifth-st. They were not experienced oarsmen, and the There one man lost his oar, and in his effort to regain it he capsized the boat. For a while the men were able to maintain their hold on the upturned boat, but they drifted into an eddy and were swept away. They cried for help, but the members of the life-saving crew were slow to put out, believing that the men were attempting to fool out, believing that the men were attempting to fool them. They were soon convinced, however, that the men were genuinely in need of aid, and two boats were sent out. When the rescuers reached the men in the water they were exhausted, and had to be dragged into the lifeboats. When they were taken ashore they walked away in their wet clothing and left the boat in charge of the life crew.

BUYERS IN TOWN. Furneaux & Holffe, Cincinnati, Ohlo-H. C. Furneaux, H. Holffe, Broadway Central. Roberts, Wicks Company, Utica, N. Y.-Irving I. Frankel, superintendent, Broadway Central. Bry & Singer Cloak Company, St. Louis, Mo.-A. P. Bry, cloaks and suits, No. 10 White-st. Broad-way Central.

J. S. Menken Company, Memphis, Tenn.-T. G. Berthold, boots and shoes, No. 115 Worth-st, Union Square. Square.

A. Bloch & Co., Cincinnati, Ohio-A. Bloch, woollens, No. & Leonard-st. Hoffman.

Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., Chicago, Ill.-A. W. MacLean, laces and embroideries, No. 115 Worth-st. Murray Hill.

S. W. Hess, Wichita, Kan.—Drygoods, etc. Albert. Langley, Burr & Co., Boston, Mass.-W. C. Lang-ey. Park Avenue. Eiseman Brothers, Atlanta, Ga.-B. J. Elzeman, lothing. St. Denis. Eiseman Brothers, Washington, D. C.-J. Eiseman, clothing. St. Denis.
Strong, Lee & Co., Detroit, Mich.-F. A. Lander, notions, laces and embroideries, No. 56 Worth-st. St. Denis.

Tootle, Wheeler & Motter, St. Joseph, Mo.-P. F. Sinde, cloaks and sults, No. 338 Broadway. Mariborough. borough.

Hamburger Manufacturing Company. Baltimore, Md.-H. J. Hamburger, woollens. Mariborough.

J. M. High & Co., Atlanta, Ga.-J. M. High, drygoods, etc., No. 55 Franklin-st. Marlborough.

Hamburger Brothers & Co., Baltimore, Md.-L. Hamburger, woollens, No. 714 Broadway. Marlborough.

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Schloss Brothers & Co., Baltimore, Md.-W.
Schloss, woollens, No. 766 Broadway. Marlborough.
Herman Straus, Louisville, Ky.-A. D. Straus,
fancy goods, No. 443 Broadway. Marlborough. A. D. Rosen & Co., Detroit, Mich.—A. D. Rosen, notions and furnishing goods, No. 50 Leonard-st. Mariborough.

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The Globe, Harrisburg, Penn.-W. Strouse, clothing: R. Strouse, clothing. Mariborough.
Strouse & Bros., Baltimore, Md.-B. Strouse, woollens, No. 733 Broadway. Mariborough. Wallace Brothers Company, Statesville, N. C.-D. Wallace, Jr., drygoods, etc., No. 280 Broadway. Mariborough. Mariborough.

Marshall Field & Co., Chicago, Ill.—E. E. Elliott, cloaks and suits; C. E. Warner, representing, No. lot Worth-st. Normandie.

104 Worth-st. Normandle. Smith & Murray, Springfield, Mass.—Alex. Leith, cloaks and suits, No. 35 White-st Porteous & Mitchell, Norwich, Conn.—John Por-eous, drygoods, etc., No. 55 White-st. Doggett Dry Goods Company, Kansas City, Mo.— M. Radford, boots and shoes, No. 2 Walker-st.

Stuart. Kaufman & Isaacs, New-Orleans, La.—M. Isaacs, millinery, No. 258 Church-st Marlborough. L. Wald & Co., Cincinnati, Ohlo-R. H. Wald, aces and embroideries, No. 62 White-st. Hoffman. William Donaldson & Co., Minneapolis, Minn.-F. A. Norway, carpets, No. 415 Broadway. Grand Emery, Bird, Thayer & Co., Kansas City, Mo.-L. W. Lear, domestics, No. 51 Leonard-st, Grand. J. R. Read & Co., Charleston, S. C.-J. R. Read, drygoods, etc. Grand. A. B. Steinbach & Co., Portland, Ore.-A. B. Steinbach, clothing, Hoffman.

A. G. Liscomb & Son, Worcester, Mass.—A. G. Liscomb, hats and caps. Imperial. C. C. Salveter, St. Louis, Mo.-Furnishing goods, E. Weil, St. Charles, Mo.-Clothing. Imperial. Steinberger & Kalisher, San Francisco, Cal.-L. Steinberger, drygoods, etc. Imperial. Pettis Drygoods Company, Indianapolis, Ind.—J. liancey, notions, No. 2 Waiker-st. Metropole,

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INCOMING STEAMERS. TO-DAY. TUESDAY, JULY 20. Noordland.....Antwerp, July 10.....Red Stat Hesperia....Gibraltar, July 5....Anchot Kansas City...Savannah, July 17.....Savannah WEDNESDAY JULY 21.

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Iahn Bremen, July 13 N G Lloyd Finance Colon, July 14 Panama Concho Havana, July 17 N Y & Cuba Persia. Gibraitar, July 7 Hamb-Amer

OUTGOING STEAMERS.

Vessel, Line, For, Mails close Vessel sails Sardinian Prince, Rio Janeiro, Prince, 2:00 pm 4:00 pm TUESDAY, JULY 20.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 21. New-York, Southampton, American. 7:00 a m 10:00 a m Adriatic, Liverpool, White Star. 9:00 a m 12:00 m Berlin, Antwerp, Red Star. 9:00 a m 12:00 m Seguranca, Havana, N Y & Cuba. 1:00 p m 3:00 p m

THURSDAY, JULY 22. Barbarossa, Bremen, N. G. Lloyd...... 9:00 a.m. 12:00 m. F. Rismarck, Hamburg, Hamb-Amer. 7:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. FRIDAY, JULY 23.

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF NEW-YORK, SUNDAY, JULY 18, 1807.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Aurania (Br.), McKay, Liverpool July 10 and Queenstown 11, with index, 113 cabin and 171 steerage assengers to Vernon H Brown & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 12:44 p m.

Steamer Matteawan, Beynon, Antwerp July 4, in ballast to T Hogin & Sons. Arrived at the Bar at midnight, Steamer La Gascone (Fr.), Baudelon, Havre July 10, with midse, 160 cabin and 201 steerage passengers to A Forget. Arrived at the Bar at 3:300 a m.

Steamer Burgundia (Fr.), Vallat, Marseilles June 38, Naples July 1, Gibraitar 6, with midse and 173 passengers to J W Elwell & Co. Arrived at the Bar at 5:30 p m.

Steamer Greatham (Br.), Gowing, Huelva July 1 and Gibraitar 2, with copper ore to the Pennsylvania Sait Co: vessel to Simpson, Spence & Young, Arrived at the Bar at 1:30 a m.

Steamer South Portland, Seeley, Sancher six days, with fruit to E C Gedney, Vessel to Mectaldin Bros. Arrived at the Bar at 8 p. m.

Steamer Comanche, Pennington, Jacksonville July 15 and Charleston 18, with midse and passengers to William P Clyde & Co.

Steamer Richmond, Glover, Richmond, with midse and passengers to the O:d Dominion Ss Co.

Steamer Jamestown, Boaz, Newport News and Norfolk, with midse and passengers to Old Dominion Ss Co.

Steamer Feitness Ann (new), from Chester, Penn., in ballast, to Oid Dominion Ss Co.

Steamer Herman Winter, Nickerson, \$30-ston.

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SAILED. Steamers Astrakhan (Br) for Hamburg; Amana (Br), or Cape Town; City of Macon, for Savannah; Mackayennett (Br), to sea to repair cable.

THE MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS. FOREIGN PORTS.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Liverpool, July 18—Arrived, steamers Cufic (Br), Thomas, New-York, Etruria (Br), Perguson, New-York, Queenstown, July 18, 12:23 p m—Sailed, steamer Lumbris (Br), Dutton (from Laverpool), New-York, Dover, July 18—Passed, steamers Persia (Ger), Spliedt, Hamburg for New-York; Prinz Regent Lattrold (Ger), Walter, Bremen for New-York; Westernland (Beig), Mills, New-York for Antwerp, Havre, July 18, 5 p m—Arrived, steamer La Bretagne (Fr), Bupe, New-York.

Gibraltar, July 18—Passed, steamer Scindia (Br), Blight, New-York for Mediterranean ports,

A.M.—Sandy Hook 11:30 Gov. Island —— Hell Gate 12:04 Hell Gate